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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4275

Re: Application for a Public Hearing
7,300' Marg SUC
South Elton Field
Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **LEWIS OPERATING COMPANY** for the calling of a public hearing, after ten (10) days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the 7,300' Marg Sand in the South Elton Field, Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana:

1. To permit the applicants, **LEWIS OPERATING COMPANY** to designate and utilize the Lewis Operating Company-Z. Duplechin No. 1 well as an alternate unit well for the 7,300' Marg SUC, at the location shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, which said well is located in Section 28, Township 7 South, Range 3 West, Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana.
2. To find that the proposed alternate unit well in SUC is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of this unit which cannot be drained by any other existing well within such unit.
3. To designate Lewis Operating Company as operator of the said unit.
4. Except to the extent herein designated, to continue in full force and effect the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 142-C-2 relating to the 7,300' Marg Sand in South Elton Field, and all applicable Statewide Orders.
5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The 7,300' Marg Sand in South Elton Field, Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined by Order No. 142-C-1, effective August 16, 1965.

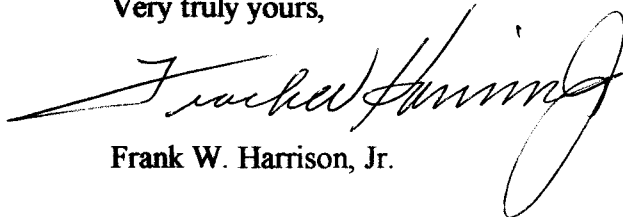
Pertinent data, including well logs, may be obtained AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY from Frank W. Harrison, Jr., at 200 Audubon Blvd., Building 28, Lafayette, Louisiana, 70503.

Under the Revised Rules of Procedure, this application does not require a pre-application conference and, therefore, no conference has been scheduled or requested.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the applicant's proposal and a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Interested Parties, and Represented Parties to whom a copy of this notice is being furnished. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. The list of parties will be provided to any party requesting a copy of it. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties, and Represented Parties.

Also attached is a check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$755.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation and representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



Frank W. Harrison, Jr.

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson
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Interested Parties and
Represented Parties

